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Amendments to the Claims:

This listing will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Claim 1 (Canceled)

Claim 2 (Previously presented): A disposable pull-on undergarment which comprises:

a liquid pervious top sheet;

a liquid impervious back sheet;

a liquid absorbent core interposed between the top and back sheets;

front and rear waist-encircling regions opposed to each other and having longitudinal side edges that are joined together, at least one of said front and rear waist-encircling regions being elastically contractible in a waist-encircling direction;

a crotch region positioned between the front and rear waist-encircling regions;

a waist-encircling opening;

a pair of leg-encircling openings;

waist elastic members extending in the waist-encircling direction are attached in an extended condition to an edge portion of the waist-encircling opening; and

a plurality of auxiliary elastic members spaced longitudinally apart from each other and extending in the waist-encircling direction in the first and second elasticized zones, said plurality